Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 14 Apr 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 15 Apr 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 13 Apr 2021 at 16:30

Confidence: High for settled conditions through the remainder of the week but lower for cloud amounts and for progress of Atlantic fronts over the weekend.

Headline for Wednesday 14 Apr 2021: Mainly dry with sunny spells. Light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 14 Apr 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
10%	00%	00%	00%	<05%	10%	<05%	00%

Forecast for Wednesday 14 Apr 2021

Weather: Any remaining evening showers soon dying out then dry with clear spells developing, along with some low level fog patches. Any fog soon clearing then a dry morning with sunny spells but one or two afternoon showers, perhaps wintry on highest summits, developing before dying out again in the early evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: Around 90%.

Visibility: Only small amounts of cloud expected below the summits, mainly in association with showers. Away from cloud visibility very good, but just a few hundred metres in any low level early morning fog and several kilometres in any wintry showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/7 N	4/5 N	4/6 NE	3/4 NE	8/12 SE	8/11 SE	6/8 SE	10/14 E	12/16 E
300	5/6 N	4/5 N	4/6 NE	4/6 SE	7/11 SE	7/11 SE	4/6 SE	6/8 E	6/9 E
Valley	4/5 N	3/4 N	4/5 NE	3/5 SE	6/10 SE	7/11 SE	4/6 SE	4/7 E	4/8 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	3/0	2/1	2/-0	4/2	4/1	4/1	4/1	3/-1	1/-4
300	4/2	3/1	3/1	6/5	7/4	7/4	6/4	3/1	2/-1
Valley	5/3	3/2	3/2	8/7	8/6	8/6	7/6	3/2	2/0
<< Freezing Level*	900m	900m	800m	900m	900m	900m	800m	700m	700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Still rather cold on higher fells despite light winds and sunshine. Temperatures in valleys close around minus 1 or 2 Celsius at dawn then rising to 12 or 13 Celsius by day

Forecast for Thursday 15 Apr 2021

Weather: Dry with long clear or sunny spells, risk of a few low level overnight fog patches.

Maximum wind: Southerly or southeasterly less than 10mph increasing 10-15mph through afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: Close to 100% with little or no cloud expected below the summits.

Visibility: Very good, but just a few hundred metres in any overnight fog patches.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Around minus 1 or 2 Celsius at dawn rising to plus 13 or 14 Celsius by day
At 700m: Around zero rising to plus 4 Celsius by day
Freezing level: Around 700m, briefly rising above summits by day

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